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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) FY 2005

Docket Number (Optional) P-4739-US

(Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818)) In re Application of: MOUTSATSOS, loannis et al. LEFFERS JR, GERALD Examiner: Application Number: 09/148.234 Filed: September 4, 1998 Group Art Unit: 1636 GENETICALLY ENGINEERED CELLS WHICH EXPRESS BONE MORPHOGENIC For: **PROTEINS** This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response in the above identified application. The requested extension and appropriate fee are as follows (check time period desired): <u>Fee</u> **Small Entity Fee** One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) \$120 \$60 Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) \$450 \$225 \$1020 \$510 Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) \$1590 \$795 \$2160.00 Five months (37 CFR 1.17 (a)(5)) \$2160 \$1080 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 50-3355. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. i am the assignee of record of the entire interest. applicant. attorney or agent of record. Attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a). Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a). WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Ofedit c rd information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization o 21 June 2005 Signature Date Mark S. Cohen Reg. No. 42,425 Typed or printed name NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representatives(s)

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